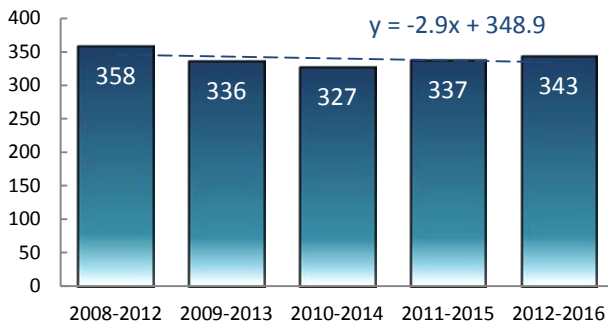


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Statistics through May 2016

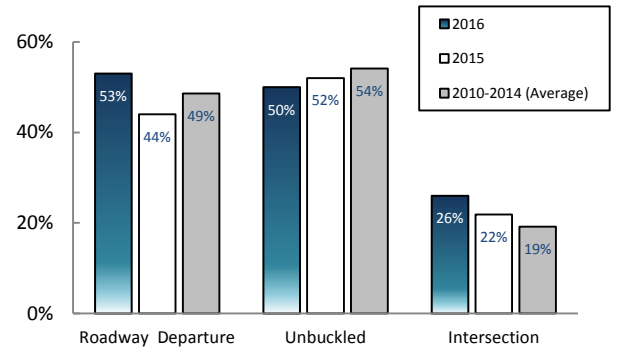
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May Average Fatality Trends



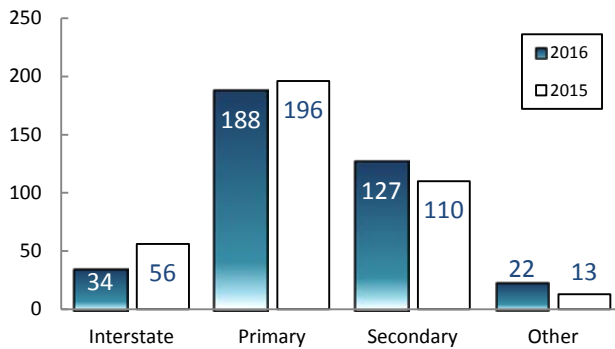
There were 371 reported fatalities through May 2016 (11 below the 2015 total of 382).

Fatalities by SHSP Emphasis Area



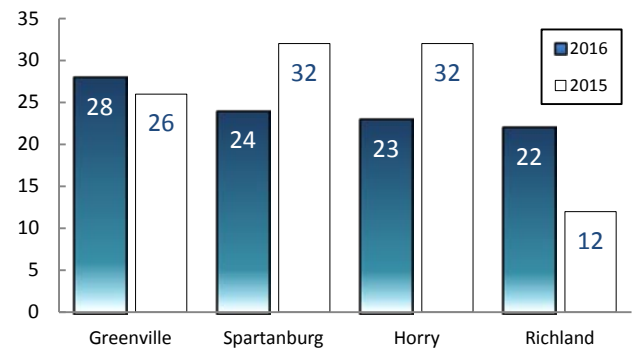
53% of all traffic deaths reported in 2016 have involved a vehicle departing the roadway. Rumble strips and wider paved shoulders are two of the most cost effective, proven countermeasures to reduce these type crashes.

Fatalities by Route Category



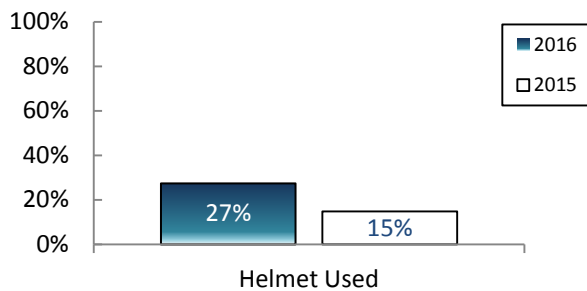
More than 50% of all fatal crashes in 2015 have occurred on primary roads.

Top Fatality Counties



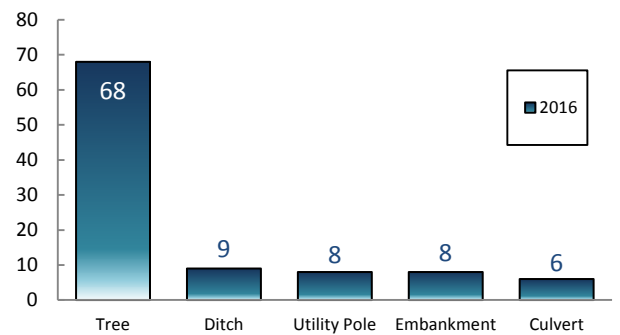
Two Counties - Hampton and Saluda – have reported zero fatalities so far in 2016.

Motorcycle/Moped Fatalities by Helmet Usage



Nearly 3 out of every 4 fatalities this year involving motorcyclists were unhelmeted.

Top Fatal Roadway Departure Crash Events



54% of all roadway departure related fatalities in 2016 were the result of a vehicle striking a tree. The next highest common cause was running into a ditch at 7%.